

# Industrial Insurance Chiropractic Advisory Committee (IICAC) Meeting Minutes

Date: March 19, 2009 from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.



**Final**

**Present:** Robert Baker, DC  
Clay Bartness, DC  
Roger Coleman, DC  
Linda DeGroot, DC  
Michael Dowling, DC, Chair  
Lissa Grannis, DC  
Jay Lawhead, DC  
Ron Wilcox, DC  
Bob Mootz, DC  
Janet Blume  
Reshma Kearney  
Joanne McDaniel  
Jason McGill

**Absent:** Carole Horrell  
La Vonda McCandless  
Bill Pratt, DC, Vice Chair

**Guests:** NA

## Assignments:

PPQ members have large literature review reading assignments.

The subcommittees will continue to draft their deliverables.

## General Business

### **2/19/09 IICAC minutes:**

**Moved, Seconded, Carried:** Approved as written, with the correction that Linda DeGroot, DC attended the meeting.

### **PPQ Subcommittee Report:**

Bob Mootz, DC reported that the Industrial Insurance Medical Advisory Committee (IIMAC) Chair reviewed the draft CTS Progress Checklist and suggested several substantive modifications at last evening's meeting. Bob and Jay Lawhead, DC attended the IIMAC meeting to clarify language.

IICAC approved sharing the revised draft to obtain public comment.

Today, the subcommittee will focus on determining the next project, most likely on shoulder issues.

### **PEO Subcommittee:**

Ron Wilcox, DC reported the team is developing the vision and structure for an easy reference "Chiropractic Physician's Guide". Today, they will also finish reviewing applicants for chiropractic consultant status and updated language for the Chiropractic Consultation Program's webpage.

### **Department Updates:**

IICAC webpage development is progressing. It will be published in the next few weeks.

Bob Mootz, DC asked for input on the Washington Administrative Code (WAC) that says: Chiropractic approved examiners can perform impairment rating when a chiropractor has been the attending physician (AP). IICAC responded that that makes sense as far as it goes. However, chiropractic approved examiners participate on multi examiner independent medical examination panels and may help calculate impairment ratings for workers who were not treated by solely by a chiropractic AP.

**Next Meeting:**

The IICAC meet with Director Judy Schurke on Thursday, April 16, 2009 at 8:30 am. The quarterly IICAC meeting will be from 9:30 to 11:00 am.